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Miscellaneous.

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All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. 🖙

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ANY GOATS FOUND TRESPASSING ON the grounds belonging to the Naval Hospital at Esquimalt will be destroyed.

(Signed) CHARLES R. HARRIS,
Lieut and Commander,
ja4 Senior Officer H. M. S. Rocket.

Insolvent Act of 1875.

In the matter of G. C. Gerow, an Insolvent.

THE INSOLVENT HAS MADE AN ASsignment of his estate to me, and the creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, in the City of Victoria, on Monday the 17th day of January, 1876, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to received statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee, if they see fit.

C. T. DUPONT,
Assignee.
Victoria, Dec. 22nd, 1875. ja8

YOUNG LADIES'

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,

FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT ST.,

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THE SEVENTEENTH YEAR OF THIS institution will begin on the 10th day or January, 1876. Parents or guardians who may wish to place their wards or daughters as Boarding or Day Scholars will please make timely application to

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CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S
Celebrated
OILMEN'S STORES
ALL OF SUPERIOR QUALITY.

PICKLES, SAUCES, SYRUPS.
JAMS, IN TINS AND JARS.
ORANGE MARMALADE.
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PONGONS, LISBON APRICOTS AND PEACHES.
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FRUITS IN BRANDY AND NOYEAU.
POTTED MEATS AND FISH.
FRESH SALMON, OYSTERS & HERRINGS,
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HERRINGS A LA SARDINE,
PICKLED SALMON,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
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PURE SALAD OIL,
SOUPS, IN PINT AND QUART TINS,
PRESERVED MEATS, IN TINS,
PEAS, CARROTS, BEANS and other VEGETABLES,
PRESERVED HAMS AND CHEESE,
PRESERVED BACON,
OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE SAUSAGES,
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PLUM PUDDINGS,
LEA & PERRINS' WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

Fresh supplies of the above and numerous other table delicacies may always be had of every storekeeper.

CAUTION.

To prevent the fraud of refilling the bottles or jars with native productions, they should invariably be destroyed when empty.

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WORK
Of all kinds particularly attended to.

Repairs to Machinery and Boilers of all kinds.

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F. G. RICHARDS,
Prop'r Post Office Saloon,
GOVERNMENT ST., opp. the Hook & Ladder House.
VICTORIA, Aug. 7, 1875. no7

NOTICE.

I HEREBY NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT Yuen Can has not and never has had any title or interest in the Restaurant business carried on at the Sacramento Restaurant under the name of Kwong Sing, and has not and never had any authority to contract debts on my account and I will pay no such debts. AH TAY.
Victoria, 4th Jan., 1875. ja5 1m*

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The best and safest remedy for
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These Lozenges contain no opium or deleterious drug, therefore the most delicate can take them with perfect confidence. No remedy is so speedy and certain in its beneficial effects.

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A PURELY VEGETABLE SWEETMEAT, both in appearance and taste, furnishing a most agreeable method of administering the only certain remedy for INTESTINAL or THREAD WORMS. It is a perfectly safe and mild preparation, and is especially adapted for children. Sold in Tins and Bottles of various sizes by all Chemists and Druggists.

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The success of this delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to

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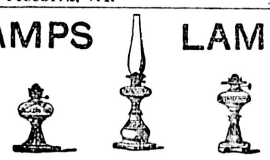
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POWDER,
As Supplied to Her Majesty's Government.

THIS Powder is quite HARMLESS TO ANIMAL LIFE, but unrivalled in destroying FLEAS, BUGS, BEETLES, MOSQUITOS, MOTHS IN FURS, and every other species of Insect. SPORTSMEN will find this an invaluable remedy for destroying FLEAS IN DOGS, as also Ladies for their Pet Dogs. This invaluable article has found so great a sale that it has tempted others to vend a so-called article in imitation; the Public are therefore cautioned to observe that the Packets of the Genuine Powder bear the autograph of THOMAS KEATING.

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If not let before the 21st February, 1876, it will be let by public auction on the abovenamed day.

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For further information apply to Messrs. DRAKE & JACKSON, Solicitors, Victoria, or to the proprietor ja8 1m WILLIAM DUNCAN.

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IN NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT 945 Acres of Rich Delta Land on Lulu Island, viz:—Lots 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Block 4, North Range 5 West. For particulars apply to

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TWO HANDSOME OFFICES IN THE COLONIST BUILDING. The best on the street.

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DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S
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CHLORODYNE
IS THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.

CAUTION—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. P. Wood stated that Dr. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE: that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr J Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne: that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr Browne's—See TIMES, July 12, 1864.

The Public therefore are cautioned against using any other than

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REMEDIAL USES AND ACTION.

This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, or freshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any of those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma Crump Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, be

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet Dec 31, 1864.

From A Montgomery, Esq., late inspector of Hospitals, Bombay: Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy for Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed

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Extract from Medical Times, Jan 10, 1866—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox remedical practitioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.

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Miners, Sailors and Western Rangers,
Listen to the truthful story,
Of Frank Campbell of Victoria.
He in truthful words will tell you,
Just the goods he has to sell you,
Mind ye now he isn't joking,
If you are fond of Chewing and Smoking,
Or if you are given to snuffing
What he keeps does not need puffing.
He has brands will suit you neatly,
Tobacco users prize them dearly:
From all parts of the "Old Dominion,"
He has stock and his opinion
Is that none can suit you better,
They will please you to the letter.
His Cigars, just from 'Havana,"
Smoke in the mostlovely manner;
Meerchaum Pipes of style and fashion,
Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
His Tobaccos are celebrated;
Green Seal, Straight Cut, all go,
Big Lick, Big Cut, Wind Sap, also.
All the Fine Cut brands for chewing,
That your teeth will never ruin;
Pipes to suit the inveterate smoke
Cards for playing Sinch or Poker.
Pipes of brier and stems of cherry,
More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
All the things he has to sell you,
While in town you may be stopping
At the "Adelphi Corner" drop in;
Campbell you'll find at that location,
Ready to give you information.
Or to see you well provided,
With what is by all decided
The smoker's and the chewer's glory,
The best and cheapest in Victoria.

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TESTIMONIAL.

"Harpenden, 7th March, 1871.

To Mr. THOMAS KEATING,

"SIR,—My two little girls, aged respectively three and two years, showed symptoms of having worms, so I obtained some of your Worm Bon Bons from Mr. Bushby, and they effected such a thorough cure—in fact, I think, saved their lives. The elder little girl had sixteen worms come from her. I think it my duty to acquaint you with the fact.

"FRED'K. WILLMOTT."

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DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA

Is the great remedy for

Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations and Bilious Affections;

IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLANTS OF THE BLADDER.

And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of Pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.

Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.

N. B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA

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Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 4th, 14th and 24th of each Month	About the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M.	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M.
New Westminster	Wednesday 3 P.M.	Monday at 7 P.M.
Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 3 P.M.	Thursday 7 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6.30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

On Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A. M. to 7 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1875.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
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THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Winter Arrangement.

THE FIRST-CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP 1500 tons

CITY OF PANAMA,

Will sail for San Francisco at 1 o'clock p. m. on the 3rd and 18th of each month.

For Victoria, Port Townsend, Seattle and Tacoma, connecting with Northern Pacific R. R. for Portland and steamers for Olympia, on the 14th and 29th.

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Leave San Francisco on the 10th and 25th.

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*NOTE—When the sailing day comes on SUNDAY the sailing day will be MONDAY, on arrival of mail steamer from Puget Sound.

HENRY RHODES & CO., Agents
Store st., Victoria.
de28 OTIS FREEMAN, Travelling Agent.



DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Private Bills.

PARTIES intending to make application to Parliament for Private Bills, either for granting exclusive privileges, or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, or for doing anything tending to affect the rights or property of other parties, are hereby notified that they are required by the Rules of the two Houses of Parliament (which are published in full in the "Canada Gazette,") to give TWO MONTHS' NOTICE of the application (clearly and distinctly specifying its nature and object), in the "Canada Gazette" and also in a newspaper published in the County or Union of Counties affected, sending copies of the Papers containing the first and last of such notice to the Private Bill Office of each House.

All Petitions for Private Bills must be presented within the FIRST THREE WEEKS of the session.

The Fee now payable for a Private Bill is TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS.

ROBERT LEMOINE,
Clerk of the Senate.
ALFRED PATRICK,
no25dw Clerk of the House of Commons.

FURNITURE.

CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE
Cutlery, Carpets,
And all kinds of
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,
—AT—
Mansell & Holroyd's,
Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.
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J. W. WILLIAMS,
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER,
RESIDENCE:
Fiskard St., adjoining J. P. Davies.

HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT HE will not be responsible for any debts contracted unless on his written order. no30

T. LUBBE,
Yates St., Victoria, B. C.
FURS AND SKINS
PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.
CASH ADVANCES made on Consignments to my correspondents in New York and London.
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H. MITCHELL,
[Late Mitchell & Johnston,]
LANDSCAPE GARDENER AND ARCHITECT.
Plans, Specifications and Estimates Prepared,
Gardens and Grounds Laid Out & Planted by Contract or otherwise.
Orders left at COLONIST OFFICE or at my
RESIDENCE NZIES STREET,
JA STORIA. no19

T. SHAW & J. KUNA,
Boiler Makers
—AND—
Sheet Iron Workers,

HAVE ESTABLISHED A BOILER SHOP on Cormorant Street, above Government, and are prepared to estimate on and contract for new work at MODERATE PRICES

Particular attention paid to Repairs.
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PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTS,
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OF all the medicines offered to the public for many years past, none have met with such favorable reception, or been so generally approved by the Medical Profession, as those prepared by Grimault and Co.

The model laboratories of this firm, situated at Neuilly-sur Seine, and managed by Dr. Leconte, Professor in the Faculty of Medicine, ex-Pharmacist of the Hospitals of Paris, and formerly Assistant of Dr. Claude Bernard, Professor of Physiology at the College of France, offer guarantees to be found in no other establishment.

NURSING-- PREGNANCY-- EXHAUSTION.

Busart's Lactophosphate of Lime Preparations.

The preparations having Lactophosphate of Lime at their base, known as Dusart's Wine and Syrup are the most valuable tonic restoratives known. They promote the formation and the nutrition of tissues, render nurses' milk more rich and plentiful, and aid the formation of the infant during pregnancy. They stimulate the appetite, agree with feeble persons, convalescents, old people, and especially with children to counteract the tendency to rickets.

GRIMAULT & CO'S

Syrup of Hypophosphite of Lime.

An excellent remedy for all affections of the chest; it relieves coughs, effectually prevents nocturnal perspiration, and restores the patient's strength. This syrup is the only one which, ever since 1857, has invariably been attended with satisfactory results—a fact due to the purity of the hypophosphite employed. Be sure to observe that it bears the signature of Grimault and Co., on bottles of an oval shape, the syrup being always of a rose colour.

GRIMAULT & CO'S

Matico Injection and Capsules.

Composed of the essence extracted from the plant so called, they have been constantly employed with the most brilliant success in a certain class of contagious disease.

They combine extraordinary efficacy with the advantage of never causing nausea, eructations, or pains in the stomach, as do the gelatinous capsules which contain Balsam of Copahu in a liquid state; or the strictures which result from the use of injections having a metalic basis.

FOR SALE BY

Langley & Co.
VICTORIA,
Agents for British Columbia.
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LOY HING,
The celebrated manufacturer of
Good Cigars,
HAS REMOVED FROM STORE STREET to Johnson street next door to On Hing's.
He is now making the
Best Havana Cigars and Good Common Cigars.
The Trade Supplied. jy11 6m

JOHN TEAGUE,
Architect,
Cor. Government and Fort Streets.
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Notices.

INFORMATION

WILL BE THANKFULLY RECEIVED AT the U. S. Consulate concerning any person or persons, citizens of the United States of America, who are known to have been passengers on the lost steamer Pacific, especially relative to persons who had previously arrived here from Cassiar and other mining districts in this Province. de15

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF Jules Rueff must be sent in to the undersigned before the 1st of February next, or they will be disallowed.

L. LOWENBERG,
de19 Administrator.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between G. B. Wright, Uriah Nelson and John C. Callbreath has expired by limitation. The business will in future be carried on by G. B. Wright and John C. Callbreath under the style of Wright and Callbreath, Mr. Nelson having sold his entire interest in the book accounts, notes and property of the Cassiar business. All sums due Wright, Nelson & Callbreath, and all accounts or notes due the former Cassiar firm of U. Nelson, will be collected by and for the use of the new firm of Wright and Callbreath only; all outstanding debts of Wright, Nelson & Callbreath will also be paid by the new firm.

G. B. WRIGHT,
URIAH NELSON,
JOHN C. CALLBREATH.
December 24th, 1875. de25

Canadian Pacific Railway.

THE OFFICES OF THE CANADIAN PAcific Railway have been removed to

Dominion Block,
Opposite the Bank of British Columbia on Government street. oc5

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF

Mules or Horses,
BELONGING TO THE
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order,
MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

TUITION.

A LADY WILL BE GLAD TO RECEIVE A few children between the ages of 7 and 12 to educate with her own family. For further information inquire of MRS. NEWTON.
au18dw* Ratesey, Fraser River.

In the Legislative Assembly.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislature of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to enable the Methodist Church of Canada, in British Columbia, to acquire and transfer property in the same way and under the same trusts as the Methodist Church of Canada in Ontario is authorized to do under the provisions of an Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario passed in the 38th year of Her Majesty's reign entitled, "An Act respecting the Methodist Church of Canada," and generally to give the provisions of the said Act the force of law in British Columbia, so far as the same may be applicable.

WM. POLLARD.
de21dw D. SPENCER.

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.

JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
January 21st, 1875. ja22

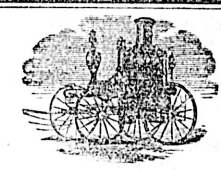
NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELLMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4



THE FIREMEN'S
ANNUAL BALL
WILL BE HELD ON
Tuesday Eve., Jan. 25, '76
AT THE
Philharmonic Hall,
FORT STREET.

Tickets admitting Gentleman & Ladies, $3 50, including Supper.

Every exertion will be made by the Committe to make this the Ball of the Season.

Members of the Department are requested to appear in Uniform. By order,
de23 HENRY SOAR, Hon. Sec.



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FAMILY
BUTCHER,
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Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 14TH. 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Whitewashing.

The report of the Commission appointed to inquire into the causes of that led to the loss of the Pacific white. washes the U. S. Inspector of Hulls (Capt. Waterman), and the owners of the lost steamship. When it is remembered that Waterman was a member of the Commission, that serious charges of corruption were preferred against him in connection with the Pacific disaster, and that the commission sat with closed doors, the result is not surprising. To appeal to a commission of which the chief culprit was the chief member was like appealing from Cæsar to Cæsar. How could Capt. Waterman be expected to convict himself? How could the friends of those who went down on that frightful night expect a righteous verdict? From the nature of dispatches yesterday it would seem as if a Committee of the Legislature of California is determined to push an inquiry vigorously. They have already struck a Bonanza of importance in the evidence of a caulker who testified to the existence of a state of affairs regarding the method of in specting steamships that is truly alarming. Hulls that Waterman found unsound before he went into the Captain's cabin were pronounced perfectly seaworthy when he came out. The witness swore that he could see daylight through the William Tabor's timbers, and said of another ship that he could pick his way through her, and that ship carpenters were afraid to tell the truth about them! This evidence is corroborative of that of Mr. Allen, second mate of the ship Orpheus, before the Coroner's inquest in this city. We hope the Legislature will continue their investigation. It is likely to do much good, and may result in the appointment of an honest man as Inspector of Hulls.

Secession.

Mr. Robert Smith, the junior and somewhat erratic member for Yale, is on the warpath with three whereases and a resolution, the drift and aim of which are that failing in the construction of a railway *on the Mainland*, he will secede and demand the comfortable little sum of $30,000,000 from the Canadian Government to set up business on his own account. The country would be sorry to lose a citizen so "genial and gifted" as the famous Robert; but if duty really calls him away, we trust that he will leave a few millions behind for local improvements. Seriously, Robert, don't you know that if you secede you abandon all claim to compensation? Canada has failed to fulfil her railway obligations, you say. Granted. The penalty you ask her to pay is the loss of this Province. Having relinquished us, her debt would be discharged in full for past delays. There would be no future delays, of course. There is a very large party in Canada who say they would rather lose the Province than build the railway. Stay in the Union. Stick to Canada like glue. Inside the ring you will be strong. Outside, you will be like Humpty Dumpty who had a great fall. "All the king's horses and all the king's men could never put Humpty Dumpty together again."

The Address and the Reply.

The House took a sensible course yesterday in allowing the poor bantling called a speech to pass. The speech of Mr. Douglas was merely formal. It was the humble gentleman's maiden speech and he acquitted himself well. The "second" by Mr. Davie was as non-committal as the speech. It was a case of "damning with faint praise" the Government policy, and supporters of the Government are entitled to all the comfort they can extract from *that* effort. The speeches of Mr. Fisher and Mr. Smithe were manly and very decided in tone and commend themselves to the country.

Public Accounts.

The House are to be congratulated on the selection of liberal, independent members to the committee on public accounts. The Government only succeeded in getting in one member—the Minister of Finance—whose presence is necessary to explain away (if he can) any little irregularities that may be found to exist. Mr. Walkem, as the mover of the resolution, then claimed a place on the committee, which was accorded him. We presume that the investigation is intended to be searching and there will be a general overhauling of all the departments since the present Government took office. To accomplish this the services of an able auditor should be commanded.

APROPOS!—Choice Oleographs from celebrated masters, handsome Photographic Albums, Church Service and Gift Books; an endless variety of Juvenile and Toy Books; Pearl, Ivory and Shell Card Cases; and other Fancy Goods for Christmas.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *,*

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Cassiar Mail.

VICTORIA, January 1876.

EDITOR COLONIST,

It is very unpleasant I must admit to be complaining, but when necessity and justice demands it I think it no more than right to do so, and as the House is now in session the grievances I am about to speak of can soon be remedied, providing there is not too much red tapeism.

In the first place, how is it that there has not been a mail forwarded to Cassiar by the California mail (steamer); are we not aware that a great number of men are wintering there who have left friends and relations behind, and are anxiously waiting to hear from them, and also from those who through the late Pacific catastrophe they will never see more, and yet no steps have been taken to apprise them of the painful circumstance.

According to the statistics, Cassiar has yielded an enormous amount of gold both in the years 1874 and '75, and no doubt will not fail to contribute her share in 1876, and all are aware that Victoria and the Province in general have reaped a rich benefit from it, besides it has not cost the Government one dollar for explorations but has been discovered solely by enterprising and hard working men, not only at their own expense as regards money and provisions but at the sacrifice, in several cases of their lives, and I think at this time of the year when it is thoroughly practicable a mail ought to be forwarded. The excuse is there is little or no appropriation made by the Dominion Government.

I know there are men in this city who are able and willing to convey the mails and would have done so, but when you take into consideration the roughness of the journey and of the return trip to Fort Wrangel, at this season of the year, some reasonable compensation ought to be allowed to any person undertaking the same. Last winter a period of five months elapsed without either receiving or sending a mail except at the private expense of parties staying at Cassiar, but there are more travelling facilities at the present time than then.

I also see through your columns that several members of the House have been offered the position of magistrate and have refused it. Now I would like to ask are those gentlemen competent to fill such a position, it is an old maxim that says it is no use to send a boy to do a man's work and the same may be applied in this instance. Now that the vacancy has to be filled, the following considerations ought to be thought of and kept in view:

The inhabitants of Cassiar have for some time past been appealing for a County Court Judge, and all must be aware that in a new District like the above, one is constantly needed, then why not select some gentleman competent to discharge the duties of Gold Commissioner and Judge of the County Court at the same time.

If the Government cannot in their opinion afford to pay a salary sufficient, I should like to know which would be the most economical; adding an amount sufficient to the present salary as recompense, or sending a County Court Judge and suite up once a year as was done the last season. And now that it is an established fact that the Gold Fields of Cassiar are permanent and that there is plenty of room for improvement, now is the time to begin before the season commences and the vacancy has to be filled.

WING DAM.

A Card from Mr. Sheridan Corbyn.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 13, 1876.

EDITOR COLONIST:—In returning thanks to the citizens of Victoria for their patronage during my first venture in catering for their amusement, permit me to say that I am so well pleased with the result, that I shall make several visits to this good city, with talent that in every instance will be worthy of support, when I hope to meet with the same cordial welcome that has been accorded to me on this occasion. Again thanking the people of Victoria for their confidence and support, I am, theirs truly,

SHERIDAN CORBYN.

No Gas.

EDITOR COLONIST:—This evening from dusk till half-past seven we were not favored with gas lamps being lighted, and it was frightfully dark I saw a man and a boy fall off the sidewark. In the event of a broken limb, can you inform me to whom we are to look for redress.

PATERFAMILIAS.

Jan. 13th, 1876.

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New Advertisements.

General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1875.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in Circulation	$271,357 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$149,218 47
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,563 21	Gold and Silver Bullion	59,205 78
Deposits not bearing interest	949,417 04	Landed and other Property	31,582 11
Deposits bearing interest	76,272 54 1,025,689 58	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	399,623 06
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	981,170 01
Total amount of Liabilities	$1,305,578 79	Total amount of Assets	$1,629,890 43

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1875 ..... $1,730,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 8 per cent. per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared ..... $ 69,600 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend ..... $ 144,219 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B.C., 31st Dec., 1875.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of Jan., 1876.
ja13 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1875:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$141,739 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$100,266 20
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,552 90	Gold Bullion	53,320 59
Deposits on call not bearing int	151,962 17	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	6,781 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest	547,197 66	Landed and other Property	18,600 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	574,253 53
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	136,477 74
Total amount of Liabilities	$849,951 73	Total amount of Assets	$889,098 97

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1875 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year $250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend $1,251,244

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 8th Jan., 1876. ANDREW B. RITCHIE, Act'g Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 8th day of Jan., 1876.
ja9 [Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

NOTICE.

Cohen & Hoffman Estate.

ALL CREDITORS OF THE COHEN & HOFFMAN Estate whose claims have been handed in, will please call at the office of Strouss, Briggs, Kurtz & Co., Wharf street, and receive the first and final dividend of 4 22-31 per cent.

BRIGGS & EARLE, Assignees of the Estate.
Victoria, Jan. 13th, 1876. jul4

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Administrator of the Estate of John Lee, deceased.
Victoria, 6th Jan., 1876. ja9

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A PREPARATORY MEETING OF THE above society will be held at the Driard House, View street, on Sunday the 16th day of January, 1876, at 2 o'clock p.m. The object of the meeting is to hear the reports of the Treasurer and Secretary, and also to introduce any amendments which may be brought forward in the interest of the Society.
The general meeting for the election of the Committee will be held on Sunday the 23rd day of January, at the same place, from 2 to 4 o'clock p.m.
ja8 PAUL BOCION, Secretary.

$20 REWARD!

STOLEN FROM MY HOUSE ON CHEmainus Prairie, on Saturday the first of January last, one Ebony Writing Desk (brass mounted), inside fitted with silver mounted inkstands. In one of the drawers was a Gold Pin with small, light blue stone, a Gold Watchkey with yellow and green stone, a Florin with the letter D scratched on it with a knife, several Photographs, two with J. Q. A. Tresise, North Side Square, Springfield, Ill. on the back, and a copy of the will of one "Cawling," of Gallogate, Durham.
Also—A Rosewood Dressing Case, with Shaving Box, &c., silver mounted, and with two square glass Scentbottles; in one is a piece of seaweed. There were also sundry papers addressed to me and two Crown Grants of Land in Chemainus.
I hereby offer Twenty Dollars Reward for the recovery of the said property and the conviction of the offenders.

(Signed) FREDERICK RICHARDSON.
Chemainus Prairie, 6th Jan., 1875. ja8dwlm

NOTICE.

On and after this date the business of the "Angel Hotel" will be carried on without the Sale of Wines, Spirituous or Malt Liquors.

C. MORTON,
Angel Hotel, Langley Street.
Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1876. ja1

TESTIMONIAL.

To Dr. P. James, Pandora Street, Victoria B.C.,

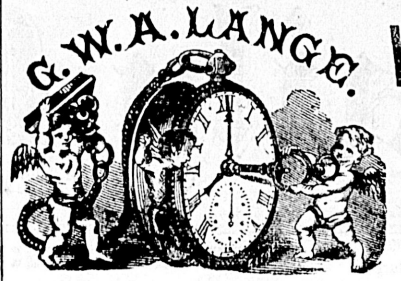
DEAR SIR:—With feelings of the utmost gratitude I beg to state the intense sufferings I have undergone for nearly four years and the wonderful cure I have received from your treatment, after all other medical aid failed, in the short time of eight weeks. From my knees down to my feet was covered with running, ulcerous sores in both legs, with most intense pain, so much so that I could not put my feet to the floor. The pain was so great that I could not sleep or eat, and my husband spending hundreds of dollars. I had given up all hopes of a cure until we heard of you, and now, sir, I am happy to say, that my legs are sound and my general health good. The change is so great that I cannot rest without making it public for the benefit of not only my kind friend Dr. James, but for those poor sufferers who may still be lingering on a bed of sickness. I shall be happy to see any person to convince them of these statements.

ARTHUR STRONG,
de21 E. STRONG, her X mark.

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The first class will continue to meet as before, and those intending to join are requested to apply at once, while vacancies exist, at the abovementioned time and place to
de28 WALTER F. JONES, M. A.

New Canadian Tariff.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST OFFICE.

R. E. Church of Our Lord.

THE RECTOR, WARDENS AND CHURCH Committee of the above Church beg to tender their sincere thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who gave their valuable assistance at the recent concert, and also to the public for the generous support extended the performance. ja13

New Custom House Blanks

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Daily British Colonist

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 14TH, 1876.

DEATHS.

At 11 a. m. on Thursday, the 13th inst., at the residence of Mrs. Ella, Fort street, Capt. Wm. Mitchell, late of the Hudson Bay Co's service, aged 74 years.

Boston, Mass., papers please copy.

The funeral will take place on Saturday at 3:30 p. m., from the residence of Mrs. Ella, Fort street, and from the Reformed Episcopal Church, Pandora st., at 4 p. m. All friends are invited to attend.

MARRIED.

At Nanaimo, Jan. 5th, 1876, by the Rev. Geo. Mason, M. A., Mr. J. R. Shepard to Miss M. J. Chappell.

The Marston-Bianchi Opera.

The opera troupe arrived last evening on the North Pacific too late, however, to give the promised representation. The opera of "Ernani," advertised for last night, will be given this evening to the largest and most brilliant assemblage ever gathered within the Theatre. Some 150 season and a great many single tickets have been disposed of. The box office will be open from ten to four o'clock to-day for the reservation of seats.

SECOND PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FIRST SESSION.

THURSDAY, Jan. 13th.

Mr. Speaker took the Chair at 2 p. m.

All the members of the House were present.

There being no petitions, the Clerk called on the consideration of His Honor the Lieut.-Governor's Speech.

Mr. Douglas, junior member for Victoria City, rose to move the reply to the Speech. He said that he did so with pleasure, inasmuch as he believed in the integrity and ability of those who now directed the destinies of the Province. Alluding to the non fulfilment of the Terms of Union and the non-construction of the Railway, he said he felt grieved that the confidence reposed in the Canadian Government had been misplaced, and regretted to learn from His Excellency's Speech that there was a proposal for further delay. He believed that the refusal of His Excellency's Government to entertain the terms recently proposed by Canada was simply the re-echo of the indignant voice of the people in every part of the Province, and he hoped that the refusal and protest would be instrumental in bringing about more speedy construction. The hon. member then alluded to the mining interests of the Province, and congratulated the House on the extent of our gold fields and their undoubted wealth. He touched on the late Pacific disaster and after expressing regret relative thereto, concluded by reference to necessary reforms in various laws of the Province. After eloquently dilating on the several clauses of the Speech he moved the reply thereto.

THE REPLY

Consists of sixteen clauses, and is in reality an endorsement of the Speech from the Throne. Clauses 1 and 2 express the willingness of the House to give their attention to subjects requiring consideration. Clause 3 admits the predominent importance of the Railway question and regrets the anxiety it has caused. Clause 4 thanks His Excellency for information contained in the Speech relative to the offer by Canada of $750,000 in lieu of immediate railway construction, and thanks His Excellency for stating that he has protested against delay, and will lay papers on the subject before the House. Clause 5 says that the House is interested to learn that necessary steps have been taken for the commencement of the graving dock at Esquimalt. Clause 6 concurs that the non-fulfilment of the railway agreement has been detrimental to the best interests of the Province. Clauses 7,8 and 9 are congratulatory with regard to the gold and coal yields, and assert that a measure to provide for the inspection of coal mines will be carefully considered. Clause 10 promises to give Indian affairs careful consideration, whilst Clause 11 assures His Excellency that education is an interesting matter to the House and that measures to amend the School Act will be carefully considered. Clause 12 says that the House is pleased to learn that the progress of public works has relieved depression which would otherwise have existed, and Clause 13 alludes to the fact that the Estimates are being prepared. Clause 14 assures His Excellency that the improvement of the County Court system will be considered. Clause 15 expresses the thanks of the House for forwarding to the Dominion and Imperial Governments representations concerning the wreck of the steamship Pacific; and the final clause thanks His Excellency for his expressions of confidence, and assures him the House will endeavor to promote the best interests of the Province.

Mr. Davie, second member for Cariboo, said that it was with pleasure as an independent member he seconded the Reply to the Speech, and he congratulated the junior member for Victoria City on his eloquence. The hon. gentleman said that the main question or topic of the day was undoubtedly the railway, and he hoped that every member was in unison with the Government of the Province on that point. All along the Provincial Government had displayed a policy of mistrust in the Dominion Government and in the course of events it had transpired that that mistrust was well founded. He, for one, rejected the idea of taking $750,000 as compensation for any and all delays which had occurred or might occur in the construction of the Railway because he believed it would give the Dominion Government the chance of indefinite abandonment of their treaty obligations. As an independent member he was willing to see the Government tested by their merits, but would not be a party to turning them out of office unheard and without trial. He therefore felt that he could with consistency, as a young politician just commencing his career, second the Reply to the Speech, reserving to himself the right to vote as an independent member on all questions which might affect the Government.

Mr. Fisher, hon. senior member for Esquimalt followed the last speaker. He carefully reviewed the policy of Canada from the date of Confederation to the present time, and asserted that if Sir John A. Macdonald had been permitted to continue in power the railway would have been in a much better state of progress than now. The hon. gentleman also gave a careful *resume* of the transactions of the Local with the Dominion Government, and condemned the policy of the former in rejecting the Edgar terms. He believed that the Government had acted correctly in refusing the $750,000 offered by Canada, but he was not prepared to say what would have been the consequence had the minute of Council announcing that offer arrived here previous to the elections. He was of opinion that if men of intellect had been in the Local Government to grapple with figures a proposition would have been made by them to Mr. Edgar which would have proved very beneficial to the country. Owing, however, to the errors of the present administration it was difficult to say with what grace we could now go to Canada. He left that for others to explain. He was glad to hear the seconder of the address say that he reserved to himself an independent vote, for the Government claimed a large majority, but it might be found that they would go in with a large one and come out without any at all. (Cheers.)

Hon. Attorney-General, on rising, congratulated the mover and seconder of the Address on their eloquence and ability. He could also congratulate the member for Cariboo on his determination to reserve to himself independence, for the Government wanted to curry no favor with members to enable Ministers to retain their seats. Alluding to the speech of the hon. member for Esquimalt he said the motion before the House had no reference as to whether the Government had treated Mr. Edgar with courtesy or not. The reply to the Speech was merely an interchange of courtesy between his Excellency and the House. He was at a loss to understand the drift of that gentleman's remarks; but if they meant that he objected to the reply because it did not explain the policy of the government which would be pursued with regard to obtaining a fulfilment of the Terms of Union, he could assure the hon. gentleman that the government were prepared to make every effort to demand for the Province her just rights.

Mr. Fisher rose to explain—He objected to the protest made against the Dominion Government.

Mr. Smithe said he did not desire to prolong the debate on the motion before the House, and thought that as to the rejection of the $750,000 offered by the Dominion Government there could be no two opinions. He believed, however, it was the fault of the hon. members of the government here that the present unsatisfactory crisis had been reached. It was not, he believed, the intention of the Opposition to take part in any debate on the question before the House, which would be permit ed to pass on division; hon. members, however, reserving to themselves the right hereafter to debate on questions involved therein.

Mr. Speaker then put the question and the motion passed, the address being taken as read.

Hon. Premier made the usual motion to refer the reply to Committee for presentation to his Excellency which was carried.

Hon. Premier laid before the House papers relating to proposals made by the Dominion in reference to proposed alterations in our existing railway engagements.

LAW CLERK.

Hon. Premier read a communication from Eli Harrison, jr., Esq., asking for the appointment of Law Clerk to the House. The Premier took pleasure in recommending Mr. Harrison for the appointment.

Mr. Davie seconded the nomination, which was unanimously endorsed by the House.

On motion the following committees were elected by ballot:

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

Messrs. Walkem, Armstrong, E. Brown, Tolmie, Mara and Fisher.

PRIVATE BILLS.

Messrs. Davie, Smithe, Evans, Bryden and Beaven.

The report of the Minister of Finance, the fourth annual report of public schools, and the second annual report of the Registrar of births, deaths and marriages were laid before the House.

Mr. Smithe asked the leader of the Government to waive the usual form and bring down to the House all correspondence relative to financial transactions between the Dominion and Local Governments, as it was very important that the House should have all information as soon as possible.

The hon. leader of the Government said that the usual course would have to observed, and that at least two days' notice would have to be given before a motion could be made for the correspondence.

SECESSION.

Mr. Smith rose to move the following resolution, but rightly observing that it was a weighty subject, asked permission to drop it from the orders of the day until Monday next, which was granted.

That whereas in the Terms of Union between British Columbia and Canada it was agreed that the Dominion Government would construct a Railway system of Canada.

And whereas British Columbia has faithfully fulfilled her portion of the contract, Canada having failed to do so.

And whereas a Minute of Council, dated Ottawa, September 20th, 1875, offers to British Columbia $750,000 for non-construction of Railway on Vancouver Island, and indefinite postponement of railway construction on the Mainland;

Therefore be it *Resolved*,—That we, the people of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled, do hereby appeal to, and call on England to urge upon the Dominion Government the expediency of actual construction of Railway on the Mainland on or before the 1st of July, 1876; and if Canada should object, on the plea of increase of taxation, then England, being a third party to the contract, and through whose promptings the Terms of Union were framed and consummated, shall propose to Canada assistance in the construction of said road; and if Canada will not accede to the first or second proposition, then British Columbia will be allowed to sever her political connection with Canada and become an Independent Province under the protection of Her Majesty's Government; and claiming from Canada Thirty millions of Dollars as compensation for non-fulfilment of Treaty obligations.

Mr. Smith moved that a Select Committee be appointed to report on the working of Public Schools, including the Cache Creek Boarding School. Said Committee to be composed of Messrs. Smith, Morrison, Gallagher, Davie, Ash and Douglas, with power to call for persons, books, and papers.

Mr. Smith asked leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to establish liens in favour of mechanics, labourers and others." Leave granted.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr. R. Smith—That on Monday next he will ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the "Constitution Act, 1871," so as to create Cassiar an electoral district returning one Representative to the House of Assembly.

To ask that a financial statement be laid before the House in connection with Cache Creek Boarding School; also, returns of pupils attending said school.

Mr. A. E. B. Davie—That on Monday next he will ask the following questions:

Have the Government received any money to aid in the construction of the Graving Dock at Esquimalt, and, if any, what amounts, on what dates, and from whom?

Have the Government borrowed money during 1874-1875 from any individuals or corporations in British Columbia, and if so, what is the present indebtedness for same?

Have the Government pledged or given as security to any corporation or person part of the revenue, subsidies, or property of this Province, and if so, which, to whom, and on what conditions?

Have the Government received notification to the effect that any of our subsidies will be withheld until the performance of certain conditions by us?

Mr. A. E. B. Davie—On Monday next to ask for copies of dispatches relative to advances made towards the construction of the Graving Dock and other public works.

Mr. Evans—On Monday next to ask what amount of the $34,500 voted last session for roads, trails and bridges in Cariboo district was intended for the Quesnel Bridge? If the cost of the cofferdam erected at the site of the bridge was included in the amount voted, or if built as an extra by order of the Surveyor-General owing to faulty surveying, at what cost?

Whether Mr. J. J. Robertson has been paid or will be paid salary as superintendent of the bridge during the time he was canvassing Cariboo district as a candidate for the House of Assembly? Whether the Superintendent of Quesnel Bridge has refused to sign and stopped certificates for work done on the structure, and if so why?

On motion of the hon. leader of the Government the House on rising adjourned until Monday next at 2 p. m.

Nanaimo.

[From the Free Press.]

The public schools will not be opened for some weeks owing to the prevailing sickness. This action is taken on the advice of medical gentlemen.

The Barney Brothers have been playing before large audiences of Nanaimoites.

The funeral of the late George Arthur Bate, third son of Mr. Bate, Mayor of Nanaimo, took place on the afternoon of the 5th inst. St. Paul's Church was filled to its utmost capacity, the solemn burial service being performed by the Rev. Geo. Mason.

The Municipal election held on Monday last resulted as follows: Mr. Bate, re-elected Mayor (by acclamation). Councillors, Messrs. Baker, Webb, Sabiston, Hirst, Brinn, Gough and Bevilockway. Mr. John Holden declined to accept office.

The ship Grace Darling and the bark Aime (in tow of the steamer Mastick) arrived at Departure Bay on Sunday morning for cargoes of Wellington coal. There are four vessels in the Bay, viz: ships Antioch and Grace Darling and barks Sonoma and Aime. The bark Arkwright is taking in cargo at Douglas pit wharf.

The Foresters' banquet was deferred owing to the prevalence of sickness in the city. W. O. Baker has been installed Chief Ranger of Court Nanaimo Foresters' Home, and D. W. Gordon, sub-Chief Ranger.

THE OPERA AT PORTLAND.—New Market Theatre was comfortably filled Saturday evening on the occasion of the fourth and last appearance of the opera troupe. A capital programme was presented, consisting of one act of "Etesire d' Amore," one act of the comic opera "Don Pasquale," and the first act of "Il Trovatore." Signor L. Contini and Miss Ida Valerga appeared in the first two operas named, and sang the *roles* in a dashing, brilliant style quite acceptable to the taste of the audience. Mr. Stein appeared at the close of the first act and sung the familiar ballad, "My Jane, My Pretty Jane." Miss Marston appeared at the close of the first and second acts and sang several ballads. "Il Trovatore" concluded the evening's entertainment, in which appeared Signor Contini, Mr. Stein and Miss Marston.—*Oregonian.*

EXPRESS ROBBERY. — Letters reached here per Wells, Fargo & Co. last evening torn open and endorsed "Robbed at Roseburg." The following dispatch explains the circumstance:

ROSEBURG, Jan. 10.—Considerable excitement is on the streets this morning caused by the robbery of Wells, Fargo & Co's treasure box. This morning the box was found broken open, with way-bills and other papers scattered around it. Twenty three dollars in coin was stolen. It is supposed that the thief effected an entrance through an office window where a pane of glass was out. The express office door was found open this morning but is thought to have been opened from the inside. No clue to the thieves, or thief, has yet been obtained.

FROM THE SOUND.—The steamer North Pacific reached her wharf at 8:30 last evening from Puget Sound with the mails, 132 sheep and a number of passengers on board. Amongst the latter were the celebrated Marston-Bianchi Italian Opera Troupe. The North Pacific returned to Port Townsend at 4 o'clock this morning.

THE NEW TERMS.—*Part* of the papers connected with the Minute of Council were laid before the House yesterday. Several telegrams which are believed to have passed between the two Governments are missing. The papers, without these telegrams, are much like a novel with several of the leaves gone from the chapter where the plot comes in. We shall refer to the correspondence again.

THE steamer Sir James Douglas returned from Nanaimo last evening.

Retrenchment.

Memo. OTTAWA, 13th Dec., 1876.

You are hereby notified to discontinue sending the two copies of your paper to the Department of the Secretary of State from the date to which the subscription has been paid.

If any arrears are due, please forward account.

THOS. ROSS
Accountant of Contingencies.

To the Proprietor
British Colonist, Victoria.

The above step has been taken, we understand, in accordance with a general system of retrenchment which has been introduced in all the departments, and not because of the honest and independent course we have taken respecting the policy of the Local Government to borrow money from Canada.

City Police Court.

[Before A. C. Elliott, Esq.]

THURSDAY, Jan. 13th.

Alexis Keevel, a Russian, charged with desertion from the ship Prince Rupert, was sentenced to 6 weeks' imprisonment.

Peter, a Songish Indian, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was sent to prison for two days under bread and water diet.

Mary Adams, an Indian woman, charged with supplying intoxicating liquor to Indians, was remanded one day.

Johnny, an Indian, on remand charged with stealing three bracelets, was discharged with a caution.

TESTIMONIAL.—We were shown yesterday a handsome silver goblet intended for presentation by the French Benevolent and Mutual Society of Victoria to Dr. J. S. Helmcken, in acknowledgment of the gratuitous services which he has rendered to this valuable institution for some years past. The cup, which was furnished and engraved by Mr. Rudolph, bore on one side, a circle supported by a pair of hippogriffs within which were the following inscriptions: "Souvenirde Reconnaissance, Victoria, B. C. Janeier 1st, 1875," and on the other "La Societe Francaise de Bienfaisance an Dr. J.S. Helmcken." The goblet was a very nice piece of workmanship and we think there is not a man in Victoria who will not join with us in hoping that the Doctor may live to enjoy many a hearty drink from it.

DEATH OF CAPTAIN W. MITCHELL.—We regret to have to announce the death in this city, yesterday, at Mrs. Ella's, Fort street, of Captain William Mitchell, of the Hudson's Bay Co.'s service. Captain Mitchell, a native of Aberdeenshire, first came to this coast in 1836, and was successively master of the vessels Vancouver, Cadborough, Recovery, Una and Beaver. At the time of his death he was about 74 years of age. No one was more popular in this community, both with young and old, than the deceased gentleman, who had always a kind word for everybody, and very many indeed will for a long time miss his familiar form and his cheery greeting in the streets.

A QUESTIONABLE COMPLIMENT.—Mr. Alfred Wilkie, the English tenor, who has visited this city twice with Madame Anna Bishop, recently appeared at Lyric Hall, New York, as Box, in Arthur Sullivan's opperatta of "Box and Cox," brought out here by Alfred Kelcher and Miss Galton. The *Herald* says: "Mr. Wilkie forgot that he was on the operatic and not on the concert stage, and in the first song he apostrophized the audience instead of the gridiron. The spoken text was very queerly rendered, and the piano, which took the place of the orchestra, was hardly satisfactory."

PROBABLE.—There is, we understand, a probability that an expedition will shortly be despatched on the government steamer "Sir James Douglas," for the purpose of exploring in the vicinity of Gardiner's Inlet with a view to finding a more favorable pass through the Coast Range for the Canadian Pacific Railway. This expedition will most likely be commanded by Mr. Gamsbey. This fresh reconnaisance is, we apprehend, to be made more with a view to demonstrating the impracticability of the far north route, rather than with the expectation of contrary result, and need not, therefore, create any uneasiness in the public mind.

FROM NANAIMO.—The steamer Maude arrived here at 6 o'clock last night from Nanaimo and way ports on the East Coast with the mail, 10 head of cattle and the following passengers: Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Dodds, Mrs. Smithe, Bishop Seghers, Messrs. Quagliotti, Chelland, Davies, J. A. McDonald, Col. Duncan, W. P. Booth, T. Stocker, J. Gemmel, J. Denny, G. Bodham, J. McTeigh, Robb, Hamlet, 5 Chinamen and 2 Indians.

AMATEUR DRAMATIC ASSOCIATION.—Last evening it was resolved to reorganize this Society, once so popular in Victoria, and to hold the next meeting at the Mechanics Institute on Friday the 21st inst. at 8 p. m., when all interested in the movement should put in an appearance.

SALT SPRING ISLAND municipal election took place on Tuesday last and resulted as follows: Warden, Thos. C. Parry, Esq.; Councillors, Messrs. Ruckle, Drage, J. G. Pimbury, Foord, Hollands, Rabinson and Griffiths.

REV. A. B. Nicholson (Presbyterian) will preach on Sunday, Jan. 16th, at North Saanich at 11 a. m.; at South Saanich at 2:30 p. m.

DELAYED EXPRESS MATTER. — Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express, which it will be remembered was detained by the authorities, just as the steamer City of Panama was about to sail last trip, arrived here per steamer North Pacific last night.

SEATHOLDERS in Pandora street church are notified that all cushions, books, etc., should be removed to morrow, the 14th inst., from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

THE GREAT HERRMANN went to Nanaimo early this morning in the Isabel to astonish the black diamonds. They will both admire and like him

THE many friends of Mayor Bate of Nanaimo will be glad to hear of his re-election by acclamation.

THE steel-rail ship Valparaiso will sail from Esquimalt to Portland, where she will load wheat for England.

SHEEP KILLED.—Panthers destroyed sixteen out of a drove of 133 sheep, on the Cowichan trail, Wednesday night.

THE steamer California left Nanaimo for Sitka last Saturday evening.

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Washington Territory.

SEATTLE, Jan. 13.—The wreck of the Bark Windward, as she now lies ashore at Useless Bay, was sold yesterday at public auction for $2,500. John L. Blanchard of this city bought her for other parties.

SEATTLE, Jan. 12.—Arrived—Ship Samoset, San Francisco.

PORT BLAKELEY, Jan. 13.—Sailed Bark Pallas for Valparaiso; Schooner W. L. Beebe for San Buena Ventura.

Europe.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—M. Dufauer, Minister of Justice has issued a circular to the procurateur General saying the new press law is solely intended to repress violent language against and insure respect for the constitution and is not to touch the liberty of public discussion. Magistrates are recommended not to undertake political prosecutions as the law only deals with offences punishable at common law. The circular is very liberal and moderate throughout.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—The correspondent of the 'Times' telegraphs: "I affirm that the Ministerial crisis is not only not settled but is rather aggravated."

PARIS, Jan. 12.—Paul de Cassagnac, in an article, violently opposes M. Ollivier as candidate for the department of Vare. He says M. Ollivier shows a lack of moral sense in putting forward his discredited personality and that his presence in the assembly would be a calamity to the Imperial cause.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Paris correspondent of the 'Times' says at the Cabinet yesterday Dufauer protested against Buffet's proposed programme and positively refused to sign it. President Macmahon interfered and proposed that he alone should sign the programme. He appealed to the devotion of the ministers to terminate the crisis.

The ministers accordingly agreed that the proclamation of the President be published to-day and that each Minister shall, as formely, follow his own line of policy, but that all shall rally round the marshal and give him their co-operation.

CALCUTTA, Jan. 11.—The Prince of Wales has arrived in Delhi.

MADRID, Jan. 11.—The 'Epoca,' in reply to an article in the London 'Times' holding Spain responsible for any injury done to British vessels by Carlist batteries, says Spain can do nothing beyond punishing the authors of the damage to foreign shipping.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The foreign office has a dispatch from commissioner Cave saying the Egyptian authorities in every way facilitated his mission. A dispatch from Paris says the news received from England seems to show that the British Government is about to give its adhesion to Count Andrassy's work in Turkey.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—A telegram from Vienna says the Porte intends to comfirm the reformers proposed by the European powers to Herzogovina thus avoiding trouble with the incensed mohammedan majority in Bosnia.

BERLIN, Jan. 12.—It is semi-officially confirmed that Count Andrassy's note does not propose any control or guarantees for the participation of the christian population in the execution of reforms. The engagement which Turkey would control toward the powers by ac epting the proposals are regarded as sufficient guarantees.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—A special from Berlin says Turkish representatives abroad have been instructed to declare that any intervention incompatible with the dignity or independence of the Porte will be rejected It is exp cted that England will advise the Porte to consider Count Andrassy's programme. If the sultan declines to do so, the rebels will be likely to derive greater advantage than ever from the countenance of Montenegrans and Dalmatians.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 12.—The sublime Porte has received a dispatch from the Turkish commander in Herzogovina dated Jan. 6, announcing that tranquility is restored everywhere except in the district between Trebigne Bilek and Gatchko bordering on Montenegro.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—The Journal de Paris says that all the ministers will return their Porifolios at least for the present.

COBURN, Jan. 12.—Her Majesty Queen Victoria is expected to arrive in this city about the tenth of April next. She will probably go hence to Baden-Baden.

ROME, Jan. 12.—The Marquis of Ripon, the English nobleman who recently embraced the Roman Catholic faith, has presented the Pope with £10,000 sterling.

South America.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Panama papers from Lima, announce complete destruction by an earthquake on on the 4th Dec., of Abanacy. Between 4 p. m. of the 4th and 5 a. m. of the 5th Dec., no less than 37 earthquake shocks occurred. A severe flood inundated the business part of Valparaiso, two lives were lost and $150,000 worth of property destroyed. Several woman have been registered in some of the towns in Chili, as qualified voters and will exercise the right of suffrage at the approaching elections.

Canada.

OTTAWA, Jan. 12.—A faction fight took place last night after the election at Gatenau Point, between two families, named Scarf and Rogne and their respective adherents. There were 50 men on each side. The fight was desperate and a bloody one. Fifteen men were dangerously wounded, and full half an acre of snow was saturated with blood.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—The Legislative committee appointed to examine causes of steamship disasters on the coast met this morning, five or six marine surveyors were examined mainly as to the condition of steamships plying on the coast, more especially ships of O. N. & P. Line, which it was evident was the objective point. The testimony in general was to the effect that ships of that line were well appointed and found seaworthy, and as well adapted to business in which they were engaged as vessels on similar service on the Atlantic Coast. As regards the Pacific the general evidence of witnesses placed her lower in rating than other ships of the line, but still sound and seaworthy. Capt. Waterman, as Inspector of Hulls, testified. His investigation of the loss of the Pacific was open to any one except reporters. Issuing of certificates to all steamers was proof of their soundness. He thought he never gave a certificate to any vessel not seaworthy. Thos. Cavanaugh testified that he was a journeyman caulker Had worked on some of the steamers, had been on the Wm. Tabor. He could see daylight through her On ships [steamer?] California I found I could pull out with my hand some of the planks passed over by Waterman. I have come across vessels where we could drive iron right through the seams. Ship carpenters are afraid to give evidence here because if they did they would never get a stroke of work again. I have been with Capt. Waterman on surveys and have tried the ship with a beatle. She would be bad and and require caulking, but the captain would go into the cabin and see the captain and come out declaring her all right.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Arrived—Bark Marmion, Seattle; bark Menshikoff, Seattle.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province.

TO THE ECONOMIST IN FAMILY MATTERS: If you have any doubts as regards where to look for supplies for your Christmas festivities just call in and see the varied stock of Fell & Co., Fort street, consisting of choicest dried and crystalized Fruits, New Nuts, Pure Sweets for children, Bon-Bons in great variety, Jams, Jellies, canned Peaches, Pineapples, Grapes, Blackberries, &c. Honey, in the comb and strained, Preserved Ginger and Chinese mixed fruits. Fancy Biscuits, fancy Chocolates, Spices, ground and prepared by ourselves and warranted pure, Fruit Essence in great variety. In fact, almost everything you require in the culinary department. We do not profess to sell cheaper than other firms, but *as cheap*, and guarantee every article to be as represented, and full weight as charged. The Imperial gallon for all liquors.—Fort Street, Dec. 4th, 1875. ***

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

MELANCHOLY PLEASURES. — The near approach of the "Merry Christmas" follows too closely upon the late calamity—the loss of the Pacific—to leave us entirely free from that discomposure which is still as vividly impressed upon our minds as if it were but yesterday. This warning of the "Still Small Voice" brings painfully face to face, during the Holidays, the two strong contrasts of joy and sorrow to cast a pall over us, as if it were a mockery, and converts the natural joyous laugh into a subdued pain. Under the sad circumstances our feelings revolt, and our hand rebels in the effort to write the cold announcement that, long before this event, an unusual variety of attractive Mementos were ordered, and which are now received as if there were no alloy to mar the occasion.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. ***

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Woolen Rags,
Tin Cans, Iron Casks, Paint Casks, 1 B Wood Casks, Hide Rope, Hide and Leather, Old Wrought Iron, Nets, Coal Sacks, old Steel, Old Files.
SHIP'S CUTTER, 23 FEET.

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Biscuit, Rum, Chocolate Biscuit Dust, Bags, Staves, Heding Pieces, Iron Hoops, Old Iron, half Hogsheads, small Casks, Metal, Lemon Juice, Bottles, M P Canisters, Candle Boxes, Metal Lined Cases.

Implement Account.

Bottles, Meat Dishes, Hookpots, Tin Canisters, Pepper Dredgers, Salt Jars, Soup Ladles, Drinking Cups, Police Lamps, P G Lamps, Sconces and Reflectors, Lamp Traps, Yeghting Lanterns, Signal Lanterns, G Hand Lanterns, 3 Weighing Machines, Spring Balances, Copper Measures, Pump, Tin Pump, Tin Funnels, Bread Shovels, Iron and Brass Padlocks, Hand Chopper, ass'ted Knives, Steels, Tormentors, Ladles, Vices, Gimlets, Carcase Cleaver, Linen Rags.

Clothing Account.

Flushing Jackets, Blue Cloth, No. 1, Flannel, Blue Serge, White Cotton Drill, Blue Jean, Flushing Hat Ribbons, Drill, Trousers, Men's Stockings, Boys' Stockings, Hat Pieces, Men's Mitts, L I Great Coats, Serge Tunics, Artillery Tunics, Foraging Caps, Blankets unmarked and marked, Beds unmarked and marked, Bed Covers, Comforters, Towels, Sennet Hats, Tobacco, Black Silk Handkerchiefs Blue Cloth, No. 2, Grey Cloth, Half Boots, Wrappers, Cases.

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Municipal.

In the Legislative Assembly. Session 1875-6.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS INTENDED to make application to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Ordinances and Statutes now in force relating to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Dated this 3d day of December, 1875.

WM. LEIGH,

de3 Clerk Municipal Council.

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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

A BY-LAW

To appoint the time and place for taking the Ballot at the Election of a Mayor and Councillors for the City of Victoria in the year 1876.

WHEREAS the first section of the Municipality Amendment Act, 1874, provides (among other things) that in every City, being a Municipality, a Mayor shall be elected annually. And that such Election shall take place at the same time and place as the Nomination of Councillors, and the Polling (if any) at such Election shall be had and taken at such time and place, or times and places, as the Council shall by By-law appoint.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that a time and place for the Election of Mayor for the City of Victoria for the Municipal Year now next ensuing should be declared, and that provision should be made for taking the Ballot (if any) at the said Election, and at the Election of Councillors for the said City.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The Election of a Mayor for the Municipality of the City of Victoria for the next ensuing Municipal Year shall take place at the same time as the Election of Councillors for the said City, that is to say: on the 10th day of January, 1876, at 12 o'clock, noon, on the said day.

2. The Nomination of Candidates for the respective offices of Mayor and Councillors of the said City of Victoria for the next ensuing Municipal Year shall take place at the old City Council Chambers, at the corner of Trounce Alley and Broad Street, in the City of Victoria, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, on the said 10th January, 1876.

3. The Returning Officer, who shall be appointed for Yates Street Ward for the purpose of the said Election, shall, on the said 10th day of January, 1876, at noon, nominate such persons as shall respectively be put in nomination in that behalf by some duly qualified voter as candidates for the said offices respectively. A show of hands shall then take place, and the said Returning Officer shall thereupon declare which of the candidates has or have been elected to the said offices respectively by the show of hands.

In case a Poll shall be duly demanded at the Election of a Mayor, the vote of the electors shall be taken by ballot on the 11th January, A.D. 1876, in the manner prescribed by the By-law passed on the 30th December, 1874, and entitled "A By-law to Regulate the Election of a Mayor and Councillors for the City of Victoria in the Year 1875," at the following places, that is to say:—

In Johnson Street Ward, at Johnson Street, near Government Street;

In Yates Street Ward, at the old City Council Chambers, at the corner of Trounce Alley and Broad Street;

In James Bay Ward, at the corner of Broughton and Government Streets.

And the said Poll shall be opened at 10 o'clock a.m. and shall close at 4 o'clock p m.

In case a Poll shall be duly demanded at the Election of Councillors for any Ward in the City of Victoria, the vote of the Electors entitled to vote in such Ward shall be taken on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1876, at the following places, that is to say:—

In Johnson Street Ward, at Johnson Street near Government Street;

In Yates Street Ward, at the old City Council Chambers, at the corner of Trounce Alley and Broad Street;

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And the said Poll shall be opened at 10 o'c m. and close at 4 o'clock p. m.

Passed the Municipal Council this 31st day of December, 1875.

J. S. DRUMMOND, Mayor.

WILLIAM LEIGH, Clerk Municipal Council, Victoria, B. C. de31

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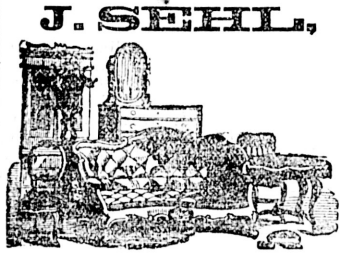
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Dec. 13th, 1875. ja1

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